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Applicant: Kirsty Jane Dodgson

Title: METHOD AND KIT FOR IDENTIFYING VANCOMYCIN-RESISTANT ENTEROCOCCUS
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MS Amendment

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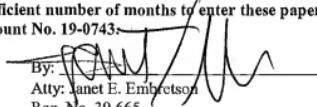
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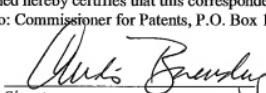
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